

# EXHIBIT 1

## PRINT

Contracting Parties to this Convention that are also Members of the HCCH (i.e., the Organisation) are in **bold**;  
Contracting Parties that are not Members of the HCCH are in *italics*.

Contracting Party	S <sup>1</sup>	R/A/S <sup>2</sup>	Type <sup>3</sup>	EIF <sup>4</sup>	EXT <sup>5</sup>	Auth <sup>6</sup>	Res/D/N/DC <sup>7</sup>
<b>Albania</b>		1-XI-2006	A	1-VII-2007		3	
<b>Andorra</b>		26-IV-2017	A	1-XII-2017		4	D
<i>Antigua and Barbuda</i>		1-V-1985	Su	1-XI-1981		1	
<b>Argentina</b>		2-II-2001	A	1-XII-2001		2	D,Res
<b>Armenia</b>		27-VI-2012	A	1-II-2013		1	
<b>Australia</b>		15-III-2010	A	1-XI-2010	7	5	D
<b>Austria</b>	22-XI-2019	14-VII-2020	R	12-IX-2020		3	D,Res
<i>Bahamas</i>		17-VI-1997	A	1-II-1998		1	
<i>Barbados</i>		10-II-1969	A	1-X-1969		1	
<b>Belarus</b>		6-VI-1997	A	1-II-1998		1	
<b>Belgium</b>	21-I-1966	19-XI-1970	R	18-I-1971		2	D
<i>Belize</i>		8-IX-2009	A	1-V-2010		1	
<b>Bosnia and Herzegovina</b>		16-VI-2008	A	1-II-2009		1	
<i>Botswana</i>		10-II-1969	A	1-IX-1969		3	D
<b>Brazil</b>		29-XI-2018	A	1-VI-2019		1	D,Res
<b>Bulgaria</b>		23-XI-1999	A	1-VIII-2000		3	D
<b>Canada</b>		26-IX-1988	A	1-V-1989		4	D
<b>China, People's Republic of</b>		6-V-1991	A	1-I-1992		8	D,N

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<i>Colombia</i>		10-IV-2013	A	1-XI-2013		1	D
<b>Costa Rica</b>		16-III-2016	A	1-X-2016		1	
<b>Croatia</b>		28-II-2006	A	1-XI-2006		3	D,Res
<b>Cyprus</b>		26-X-1982	A	1-VI-1983		4	D
<b>Czech Republic</b>		28-I-1993	Su	1-I-1993		4	D,Res
<b>Denmark</b>	7-I-1969	2-VIII-1969	R	1-X-1969		3	D
<b>Egypt</b>	1-III-1966	12-XII-1968	R	10-II-1969		1	Res
<b>Estonia</b>		2-II-1996	A	1-X-1996		1	D
<b>Finland</b>	15-XI-1965	11-IX-1969	R	10-XI-1969		2	D
<b>France</b>	12-I-1967	3-VII-1972	R	1-IX-1972	1	3	D
<b>Germany</b>	15-XI-1965	27-IV-1979	R	26-VI-1979		3	D
<b>Greece</b>	20-VII-1983	20-VII-1983	R	18-IX-1983		1	D
<b>Hungary</b>		13-VII-2004	A	1-IV-2005		3	D
<b>Iceland</b>		10-XI-2008	A	1-VII-2009		1	D,Res
<b>India</b>		23-XI-2006	A	1-VIII-2007		1	D,Res
<b>Ireland</b>	20-X-1989	5-IV-1994	R	4-VI-1994		3	D,Res
<b>Israel</b>	25-XI-1965	14-VIII-1972	R	13-X-1972		2	D,Res
<b>Italy</b>	25-I-1979	25-XI-1981	R	24-I-1982		3	D
<b>Japan</b>	12-III-1970	28-V-1970	R	27-VII-1970		3	D
<b>Kazakhstan</b>		15-X-2015	A	1-VI-2016		1	D
<b>Korea, Republic of</b>		13-I-2000	A	1-VIII-2000		2	D,Res
<i>Kuwait</i>		8-V-2002	A	1-XII-2002		3	D,Res
<b>Latvia</b>		28-III-1995	A	1-XI-1995		4	D

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<b>Lithuania</b>		2-VIII-2000	A	1-VI-2001		3	D,Res
<b>Luxembourg</b>	27-X-1971	9-VII-1975	R	7-IX-1975		1	D,Res
<i>Malawi</i>		24-IV-1972	A	1-XII-1972		1	
<b>Malta</b>		24-II-2011	A	1-X-2011		2	D
<i>Marshall Islands</i>		29-VII-2020	A	1-II-2021		3	D
<b>Mexico</b>		2-XI-1999	A	1-VI-2000		2	D
<b>Monaco</b>		1-III-2007	A	1-XI-2007		2	D
<b>Montenegro</b>		16-I-2012	A	1-IX-2012		2	D
<b>Morocco</b>		24-III-2011	A	1-XI-2011		1	
<b>Netherlands</b>	15-XI-1965	3-XI-1975	R	2-I-1976	1	5	D
<b>Nicaragua</b>		24-VII-2019	A	1-II-2020		1	D
<b>Norway</b>	15-X-1968	2-VIII-1969	R	1-X-1969		3	D,Res
<i>Pakistan</i>		7-XII-1988	A	1-VIII-1989		3	D
<b>Philippines</b>		4-III-2020	A	1-X-2020		1	D
<b>Poland</b>		13-II-1996	A	1-IX-1996		4	Res
<b>Portugal</b>	5-VII-1971	27-XII-1973	R	25-II-1974		2	D
<b>Republic of Moldova</b>		4-VII-2012	A	1-II-2013		2	D,Res
<b>Republic of North Macedonia</b>		23-XII-2008	A	1-IX-2009		1	D,Res
<b>Romania</b>		21-VIII-2003	A	1-IV-2004		2	D
<b>Russian Federation</b>		1-V-2001	A	1-XII-2001		4	D,Res
<i>Saint Vincent and the Grenadines</i>		6-I-2005	Su	27-X-1979		3	D
<i>San Marino</i>		15-IV-2002	A	1-XI-2002		3	D
<b>Serbia</b>		2-VII-2010	A	1-II-2011		2	D
<i>Seychelles</i>		18-XI-1980	A	1-VII-1981		1	D

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<b>Slovakia</b>		15-III-1993	Su	1-I-1993		4	D
<b>Slovenia</b>		18-IX-2000	A	1-VI-2001		1	D,Res
<b>Spain</b>	21-X-1976	4-VI-1987	R	3-VIII-1987		3	D
<b>Sri Lanka</b>		31-VIII-2000	A	1-VI-2001		3	D
<b>Sweden</b>	4-II-1969	2-VIII-1969	R	1-X-1969		2	D
<b>Switzerland</b>	21-V-1985	2-XI-1994	R	1-I-1995		3	D,Res
<b>Tunisia</b>		10-VII-2017	A	1-II-2018		1	D
<b>Turkey</b>	11-VI-1968	28-II-1972	R	28-IV-1972		3	Res,D
<b>Ukraine</b>		1-II-2001	A	1-XII-2001		3	D,Res
<b>United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland</b>	10-XII-1965	17-XI-1967	R	10-II-1969	14	4	D
<b>United States of America</b>	15-XI-1965	24-VIII-1967	R	10-II-1969	1	1	D
<b>Venezuela</b>		29-X-1993	A	1-VII-1994		1	D,Res
<b>Viet Nam</b>		16-III-2016	A	1-X-2016		3	D,N

## Type

### Antigua and Barbuda Type Succession

By a Note of 1 May 1985 and received at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands on 17 May 1985, the Government of Antigua and Barbuda informed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that it does consider itself bound by the Convention, which had been declared applicable to Antigua by the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on 20 May 1970. (See under United Kingdom extensions.) The date of entry into force is the date of independence of this State.

### Czech Republic Type Succession

On 28 January 1993, the Czech Republic declared itself to be bound by the Convention – including reservations and declarations made by Czechoslovakia – as of January 1, 1993, date of the division of Czechoslovakia.

### France Type Ratification

*Translation by the Permanent Bureau:*

France has declared that, in the absence of a declaration to the contrary, the Service Convention applies to the entire territory of the French Republic (see in this respect the Circular from the French Ministry of Justice dated 1 February 2006, which is accessible at the following address: <http://www.entraide-civile-internationale.justice.gouv.fr>).

Consequently, besides Metropolitan France and the Overseas Departments (French Guyana, Guadeloupe, Reunion, Martinique), the Convention applies to all of the other French overseas territories.

### Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Type Succession

By a Note received at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands on 6 January 2005, the Government of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines informed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that it does consider itself bound by the Convention, which had been declared applicable to Saint Vincent by the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on 20 May 1970. The date of entry into force is the date of independence of this State.

### Slovakia Type Succession

On 15 March 1993, the Slovak Republic declared itself to be bound by the Convention – including reservations and declarations made by Czechoslovakia as well as objections by Czechoslovakia in respect of reservations made by other treaty parties – as of January 1, 1993, date of the division of Czechoslovakia.

### United States of America Type Ratification

(Ratification for all the states of the United States, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands)

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### Res/D/N

#### Andorra Articles Declarations

##### **Declaration:**

09-04-2018

*(Translation)*

In accordance with the provisions of Article 21, the Principality of Andorra declares: (...)

c) The Principality of Andorra declares that, in accordance with Article 8, it is opposed to the service of documents effected directly by the diplomatic or consular agents of the Contracting States on persons who are not nationals of those States.

d) With regard to Article 15, paragraph 2, the Principality of Andorra declares that the judge may give judgment even if no certificate of service or delivery has been received, if all the provision of Article 15, paragraph 2, are fulfilled.

e) With regard to Article 16, paragraph 3, the Principality of Andorra declares that an application for relief will no longer be entertained if it is filed after the expiration of more than 1 year following the date of the judgment.

#### Argentina Articles Declarations Reservations

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##### **Text of the declarations:**

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1- To Article 5, third paragraph: "The ARGENTINE REPUBLIC shall not accept documents to be served or transmitted unless they are accompanied by a translation into the Spanish language."

2- To Article 21, first paragraph, a): "The Argentine Government designates the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship as the Central Authority."

3- To Article 21, second paragraph, a): "The ARGENTINE REPUBLIC opposes to the use of methods of transmission pursuant to Article 10."